The Intelligencer.

TO THE DAILY INTELLIGENCER

GENERAL NEWS.

POPE PIUS IX IS DEAD.

Great Excitement in London --- A Hasty Assemblage of the

Why the Russians Advanced on Constantinople.

The Verdict in the Anderson Trial The Charges Against the Doo Keeper.

at New Orleans.

Contested Elections in the House.

LONDON, February 7 .- The Patt Mall eports are current that he is already

ROME, February 7 .- The condition of he Pope changed seriously for the worse

during the night, and His Holiness has already received the last sacraments.

he Vatican and an order has been given o prevent any person not specially authorized from having access to the Pope's partments. Egress from the Vatican is also prohibited. Foreign Cardinals have been summoned by telegraph to Rome Prayers for the Pope's recovery are being ALL ARRANGEMENTS MADE.

LONDON, February 7 .- The Pall Mall Gazette's Rome special says the Pope's death is hourly expected. All the necessary arrangements in view of the event have been made. Reports are current that His Holiness is already dead.

passed into the death agony. His death is momentarily expected. DEAD.

LONDON, February 7, 5 P. M .-- A later dispatch from Rome says it is impossible to obtain the exact news, but it is now un derstood that the Pope is not dead, but

lit will be remembered that he vigoraporal power of the Pope was then gan. The Cardinals were assembled in an allocation against King Humbert. Court, were at his bedside at the mo

of Italy. Whether the death of the will tend to complicate affairs in ope remains to be seen, but having accredited to the Vatican called to make summoued to meet at once in Rome-Sevenal, churches in Philadelphia corpse, Monsigneur Simeoni, Cardinal, systhe Ledger, have recently organized Secretary of State, has ordered the Secucial Societies on what is known as Observatore Romano, the daily organ of the Scotch plan. The dues are fixed at | Vatican, to suspend publication until tocents per month, and entitle morrow. The city is perfectly tranquilmember to benefits at the rate of \$3 The authorities have taken all measures

doubt of the Pope's death. The morning journals fully confirm the previous distually paid by each member is exactly patches from Rome. A special from reportioned to the amount expended for Rome states that the news of the Pope's of. In societies which accumulate death has already been officially announ funds, making no divisions to members, ed and gives the following particulars: The Pope at 8 o'clock Wednesday night

all that they have paid in and lose the felt a sudden suffocation. He rallied ensits they had hoped to obtain in their several times, but said to his physicians "Death wins this time." He was altertheir payments for a few months or nately lucid and wandering. His last

closing of the wound in the leg, which to him enough to pay his dues for the made humors mount into the lungs and succeeding six or eight months, and so brain. Cardinals Manning and Howard may gradually accumulate a fund which shall secure him against losses incident death. The Conclave has commenced. dues. On the other Cardinal Simeoni has demanded troops hand these societies, having no accumu- and the government has acceded to the

vantages, and one or other of them should not occur until after the time announced in the first dispatch from Rome yesterday. The aspect of the city is quiet t indifference, strangely contrasting with its appearance on the death of King Vicor Emmanuel.

There seems to be considerable conflict in the statement as to the actual hour of the Pope's death. The Times' special from Rome says that at 3 o'clock in the afternoon an official dispatch was sent to the Chamber of Deputies announcing that the Pope died at 2:30 P.M. Up to sunset the hour of death was still uncertain. Death was denied by the Vatican partisans, al | days thereafter

BY TELEGRAPH. though they agreed that the Pope was dy-The sacrament was exposed in St. Peters, but covered with a white veil only. We were told the veil was to be removed after the Pope's death.

The veil was not removed at 5 P. M possibly from the vain desire to conceal the event. The barracks surrounding the Vatican are crowded with troops This precaution is superfluous no other movement than that of curiosity is perceptible among the people.

The Fanjulia positively announces that the Pope died at 5:45 P. M., while a Reuter telegram says 4:57 P. M.

A special dated Rome, Thursday night. says: At 3 P. M. the Pope was in articulo mortis. He appeared dead to all but his

The House Committee on Education and Labor to-day agreed to report a bill to distribute the proceeds of the sales of the public lands among the several States for purposes of education. The details of the bill will be arranged by the sub-committee, to whom the subject was referred.

APPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT. APPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT.

The President has approved the joint resolution extending the thanks of Congress to Henry M. Stanley and the act for removing obstructions from the Missispip, Missouri, Arkansas and Red

CONFIRMED.

The nomination of Henry W. Hilliard, of Georgia, to be United States Minister to Brazil, was confirmed.

A Young Lady Pleads Guilty of Robhing the Mails.

Richmond, Va., February 6.—Missemma Davenport, the young lady mail robber, appeared before Judge Hughes to-day in the United States Circuit Court, held in this city. Miss Davenport was charged with abstracting a vulnable silk dress and two valuable packages of jewelry from the mail while she was acting as Deputy Postmaster at Goochland, last Christmas. She is of good family and very pretty, and there was naturally much sympathy shown by the crowd as-

CINCINNATI, February 7.—Ed. Norten one of a gang of suspected thieves and burglars whom the police were attempt ing to arrest at an early hour this morn-ing, was shot and fatally wounded by Officer Butler who claims Norton drew a knife on him. Norton's father swore out a warrant for the arrest of Butler for shooting with intent to kill. Butler was released on \$500 bail.

Heavy Shipments.

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Caucago, February 7.—The railroad lines leading out of this city to the East report of having shipped last week to the East 53,000 tons of flour, grain and provisions. This represents 5,000 loaded cars. Trade is so active that on some of the lines a sufficient unmber of cars cannot be several for the transportation of

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A Fatal Tarifl.

Harriseura, Pa., February 7.—The Scenate adopted a resolution declaring the tariff bill now under consideration, proposing to levy duties on crude or raw materials not produced in the country, and admitting free from duty articles manufactured, a fatal blow to the manufacturing industries of the country.

Storms on the Pacific Coast.

San Francisco, February 7.—A large number of vessels of a consting fleet, most-ly from Poget Sound ports, are greatly overdue, and the late storms cause anx-iety for their safety. Several pieces of wreckage have been seen by vessels com-ing down the coast and other fragments drifted ashore on the northern coast.

CONGRESSIONAL

SENATE.

to \$20,000 again. The Sheriff was in-structed to see Mr. Wells about the re-marks said to have been induged in by him. Governor Wells explains the mat-ter as follows:

New Orleans, Parish Prison, February 7, 1878. To Mr. H. C. Costellanos :

DEAR SIR—I have just learned with surprise that I am reported as saying that I could give bail in the sum originally fixed, but my object in not doing so is for ixed, but my object in not doing so is for the purpose of forcing the State to a trial during this month. This is not true, and I am not accountable for unauthorized publications. I have entrusted my case with you and your associates, and I have heen guided only by your advice as my health was impaired. I hope you will continue your efforts to release me from further confinement.

With high regard.

which was promptly answered by a Dep uty Sheriff, who went at once to the jur room and returning quickly startled th Judge, who with some gentlems and the reporters was in his pri vate office, with the news that it prought down and called. About forty persons were present. Judge Whitaker asked the foreman the usual questions, when the verdict was given to the clerk. Gen. Anderson was deathly pale, twisting nervously the head of his cane between his fingers. Then the verdict was read as follows:

NEW OBLEANS, February 7, 1878. We find Thomas C. Anderson guilty, nd recommend him to the mercy of the

discharged and the prisoner remanded await the sentence of the law. A few him and saw him off to jail.

Failed to Agree.

CROOKEDNESS.

Boston, February 7 .- Wm. C. Binney a prominent resident and church man of Amesbury, Mass, is missing, and his name is mentioned in connection with iregularities in managing funds entrusted o his charge.

MIDDLEBURG, VT. February 7.—J. H Batefilder has been arrested and held is bail to answer the charge of raising note from \$3000 to \$36,000, and obtaining

Springfield, Mass., February 7.—D A. Brigham & Co., clothiers, who lately ailed, with liabilities at a quarter of a nillion, compromised with their credit-ors, paying 40 cents on the dollar.

NEW YORK, February 7.—Augustus M. Turney, a defaulting paying teller of the Bank of North America, was this morning committed to await the action of the grand jury, ball not being asked for.

QUEBEC, February 7.—The creditors of J. & J. Woodley, leather merchants, net to-day. A statement showed that the labilities were \$400,000, and assets \$170,

FOREIGN NEWS. THE EASTERN QUESTION.

Decline in Consols.

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London, February 7-12:45 p. m.—The report this morning that the Russian forces were in possession of Constantinopie, and that the British fleet has been ordered there, causes a decline in consols. The price is rapidly recovering, and at this hour the quotation is 95½. There is no additional news regarding the alleged seizure of Constantinople by the Russians. Russian bonds are two per cent lower than the closing prices yesterday.

Notice of the reports of the Russian occupation of Constantinople does not appear in the several paragraphs published, but from the manner in which the statement is made it seems probable that it came through official channels. age industry.

Mr. Hill then took the floor, but before

it came through official channels.

1:30 r. M.—No confirmation has been received at the Russian or Turkish Embassies of the reported Russian occupation of Constantinople. Count Schouvaloff Russian Ambassador, declares that he

loes not believe it.

The Daily Chronicle states that the
British Government and the Russian
Embassy have both received information

that the Russians have entered Constanti-nople. The same paper also states that a telegram from Buchareat says: In ad-dition to the transfer of the men-of-war on the Danube the Russians are negotiat-ing for an acquisition of the entire Turk-ish iron clad fleet. Count Schouncoff heard of the rumor of the Russian occupation of Constanti-nople at a ball at the German Embasy last night. He immediately telegraphed to St. Petersburg inquiring whether it was true. His dispatch has not been anwas true. His dispatch has not been an-swered yet. The Count thinks that the report has arisen from some arrangement between the Russians and Turks by which

between the Russians and Turks by which the Russian troops may approach nearer to Constantinople than they were at the signing of the armistice.

Masuras Pasha, Turkish Ambassador, at London, received telegrams from Constantinople this morning. Their date is not given, but he knows nothing about the reported occupation.

The Standard, third edition, has a Constantinople dispatch, which says: According to the terms of the armistice the Turks are to evacuate the zones of Constantinople, which are to form a neutral zone. The Russian limit is to be Bujuk Chekmejeh, and the Turkish limit is to be Kujuk Chekmejeh.

GREAT EXCITEMENT IN LONDON. GREAT EXCITEMENT IN LONDON.

There is a tremendous excitement out side of Parliament. Crowds are throng-ing the streets, singing "God Save the Queen," and making demonstrations in ivor of the government.
In the House of Commons Sir Stafford

Northcote, in reply to an inquiry of John Whitewell, Liberal, said England assents to Austrin's proposal of a conference. RUSSIA HAS NOT OCCUPIED CONSTANTI

NOPLE.

LONDON, February 7.—Sir Stafford Northcote has just announced in the House that Count Schouwaloff, the Russian Ambasador, has received a telegram from Prince Gortschakoff, the Russian Premier, stating that the Russian Commanders have been ordered to stop the advance at all points and that there is no truth in the rumors of an advance on Constantinople. The excitement in the House is intense.

Léndon, February 7.—A Constantino ple special, dated February 1, confirm the report of the opening of a telegrapl line to Odessa. The quickest communi-cation with Constantinople is, therefore now through Russia.

dered necessary by the march of cents.

A DISTINCTION WITH A DIFFERENCE.

A Berlin special says that Russia's motive in delaying the acceptance of Austria's invitation to a conference in one experimental tion between the bases for the preliminaries dense and the preliminaries themselves. The bases having been signed, Russia in now intent on concocting previous filminaries which are to be founded on those bases. Only after the completion of the preliminaries does she intend to go to a conference for the completion of the preliminaries. Gen. Ignatieff is going to Adrianople.

An Adrianople correspondent says the delay in signing an armistice was caused by the Russian in alliance and friendship, that was the delay in signing an armistice was caused by the refusal of Server and Namyk Pashas to accept the condition creating the principality of Bulgaria, which they declared would be the destruction of the Turkish Empire in Europe. The Grand motion, which must be passed before the House could go into one stand still. The Plenipoten-low modify the terms, so the negotiations came to a stand still. The Plenipoten-low modify the terms, so the negotiations came to a stand still. The Plenipoten-low modify the terms, so the negotiations came to a stand still. The Plenipoten-low modify the terms, so the negotiations came to a stand still. The Plenipoten-low modify the terms, so the negotiations came to a stand still. The Plenipoten-low modify the terms, so the negotiations of the red was distincted that it was possible that it was possible that the twas possible that it was possible that it was possible that the was distincted that it was possible that the was distincted that it was possible that the was distincted that the school of Ohio county with those of her school houses, all of which are neat to the Russian troops. The transit troops at the time Layard's disparance that the completion of the preliminaries does she intend to go the redool houses, all of which are the completion of the redool houses, all of which are the

Duke Nicholas was not authorized to modify the terms, so the negotiations came to a stand still. The Plenipotentiaries telegraphed to the Porte for instructions, but up to the 28th of January had not received them, so the Russians continued to advance on Constantinople. The Daily News gives the statements of several members of the Plenipotentiaries suite declaring in much stronger terms than those of Server Pasha that Lord Beaconsfield and M. Layard were responsible for the Turkish persistence, and that Layard uniformly declared that England would intervene.

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Sr. PETERSBURG, February 7.—A dispatch received to-day from Grand Duke Nicholas announces that, in accordance ree commercial intercourse by land and ea is to be at once re-established between

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to state that a telegram has been received from Layard expressing the gravest uneasiness at his isolation by the cutting of all telegraph wires, and by information reaching him that by an agreement with the Porte the Russians are close to the city and about to enter it, and also to take up a position near Gallipoli. Layards communication reached the Government by way of Alexandria. Later information states that Layard's telegram was two days in transmission. It further says the Russians have taken possession of the fort on the line of the fortifications between Buyuk, 'Chekmejeh and Chataja, and that another detachment had occupied points on the Bonial rines, NOT OFFICIALLY CONFIRMED.

accordancs with the terms of the armis-tice, but the Turks affect surprise. Eng-land has asked Russis for explanations, particularly calling the Car's attention to his statement of July, that Constanti-nople should not be occupied unless the military situation rendered it necessary. The House, after a short discussion, agreed to the withdrawal of Forster's amendment.

STEAMER COLLISION AT SEA.

Russian General refused to receive. He declared that according to his orders it was necessary that he should occupy Tchaladja on that day. The Porte is in great alarm, and cannot understand the Russian proceedings. Representations have been made to the Grand Duke Nicholas. It is also stated that the Servians have destroyed a place called Vranja, and are advancing on the railway towards Salonica. Five days have elapsed since the signature of the armistice and preliminaries of peace, and the protocol has not yet reached the Porte, which is in ignorance of some of the terms.

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Another telegram dated yesterday, re

taken by Russia are in pursuance of the conditions, but it appears that the Porte is equally ignorant and is perplexed as to the meaning of these movements. By a telegram sent to-day we have asked Russia to give us some explanation on the subject and have called attention to a declaration made by the Emperor to Col. Wellesley in July last that he would not occupy Constantinople for the sake of military hone, but only if it were rendered necessary by the march of events. Considering that Turkish resistance has ended, it does not appear to Her Majesty's government that there can be any necessity for an advance by the Russian troops.

and the committee at once adjourned till to-morrow.

In the House of Commons to-day Sir Stafford Northcote read a letter from Dord Beaconsfield referring to a statement in an Adrianople dispatch that Server Pasha had declared that Turkey had been misled and encouraged to light by the promise of English support, and that Lord Beaconsfield and Layard were responsible for her position in the war. Lord Beaconsfield, in his letter, profinding the properties of the provide the report false in these words: PRIA, February 6.—The Russian Gen-rals have arrived to sign the terms of "they only to say that the statement is

Popular feeling is intensely hostile to Russia. The windows of Gladstone's town house and of the Daily News office were broken to-night by excited crowds

Great Falling Off in the Reve

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FORSTER'S AMENDMENT TO BE WITHDRAWN. The Central News says: In consequence of the grave intelligence from the British Ambassador at Constantinople we believe that Lord Hartington will announce the withdrawal of Forster's amendment and a supplementary vote will be unasimously agreed to. The News also says: It is able to state that a telegram has been received from Layard expressing the gravest un—

HICH Prospect for a Continued Seession. Washinoton, February 6.—Within a few weeks a very marked falling off in the revenue as the government. The reason that if it continues special legislation will be needed to make speci

Weather Indications.

WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 8—1 a. M.

For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, cloudy and rainy weather, warm east, backing to colder northwest winds, a falling followed by a rising barometer. For the Lakes, partly cloudy weather, with rain, variable winds, mostly from northeast to northwest, and a falling barometer.

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In the Upper Lakes, stationary or lower temperature and falling followed by rising barometer.

FIRE RECORD.

LAWRENCE, February 7.—The print-works, madder-dye house, standing, fold-ing and steaming rooms of the Pacific Mill, together with the content, bursed this morning. The loss is roughly esti-mated at \$125 000; fully insured. Henry Ham, J. W. Morse and Chas. H. Heath, firemen, and Wm. A. Page, the foreman, were severely injured by the falling walls. Three hundred operatives are out of work. The remainder of the mill started as usual.

The Wrecked Metropolis Rotten and Totally Unseaworthy.

PHILADELPHIA, February 7.—The examination by the Steamboat Inspectors into the cause of the wreck of the Metropolis began to-day. The principal witness examined was Dr. Green, of the Metropolis. His testimony was to the effect that the ship was rotten and totally unsea-worthy. He brought to this city a frag-ment of the rotten timbers,

Ohio Legislature.

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Columbus, February 7.—In the House bills were introduced to reduce taxation for road, bridge and township purposes about one-half and providing for fixing a levy in March, to fix the compensation of co-commissioners at \$3 and to abolish altraveling and other expenses and to authorize Notaries Public to solemniza marriages. marriages.

Ohio County Schools. TRIADELPHIA, February 5, 1878.

Having just completed a course of visting among the schools of Ohio county, ing them. If there is anything contained in them of which you can make an item that will interest the reading public, you

are at liberty to use it: The enumeration of youth, as taken last June, of those entitled to attend the public schools, is 2,128. Total number enrolled in the schools in January, 1878, 1,191, or about 56 per cent. Average daily attendance 883, or 74 per cent of the enrollment, and nearly 41.5 per cent

of the enumeration.

There are in all in the county 32 public schools, three of which, viz: Triadelpin, Elim Grove and Fulton, employ two teachers, making a total of 35 teachers employed in the public schools of Ohio county. In these calculations is included the colored school at West Liberty, numbering 25 scholars. Besides these schools there is a private school at Gaston's Mills, in Liberty District, and the branch Normal School at West Liberty. With these, the attendance will probably aggregate an average of 45 per cent of the enumeration. of the enumeration.

with varying degrees of success, and in a few cases not with full satisfaction to

. WHEELING, W. VA. ja18 DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED

District of West Virginia, 88.
This is to pice Noice, That on the 16th day of January, a. D. 1878, a Warrant in Bankruptey was found out of the District Court of the United States for the District of West Virginia against the estate of Win. F. Petersus, of wheeling, in the county of 'thin, in mid District, who has been estate of Win. F. Petersus, of wheeling, in the county of 'thin, in mid District, who has been estate of Win. Petersus, that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any poerty both on the his own, and the tradition of his own petition, that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property by the creditors of said hankrupt, to prove their debts and to those one or more Assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptey, to be holdern at Wheeling, W. Va., in Law Liffice of T.J. Hugus, 71. Petith street, before T.J. Hugus, Eag., hegisler in Bankruptey for asid District, on the second day of March, A. D. 1878, at 100-clock a.m.

For GEO. W. PATTON,
U. S. Marshal for and District.

WEST VA. UNIVERSITY, 1877. MORGANTOWN. 1878:

This Institution of Learning, under the Presiden-y of Eev. J. R. Thompson, A. M., is entering upon new era of prosperity. Buring the Spring Term art closed, the attendance of students was increas-GEO. C. STURGISS, Secretary of Regents an23-Wa8

Ousiness College:

ESTABLISHED 1850.—Has fine and elegantly fur ished rooms; a thorough Commercial course, and loo gives thorough instruction in any or all the ommon English branches. Sessions day and sven-SELLERS & CO.PROPRO
PITTEBURG PA

GRISTADORO'S HAIR YE

Death of Pope Pins IX. v afternoon announce the death of this stinguished Prelate, which took place 150 r. M. John Maria Mastni Ferretti ras born May 13th, 1792, at Singaglia, cons. He was appointed Archbishop of Spoleto in 1827. In 1840 he obtained the dignity of Cardinal, and was elected y acclamation the successor of Pope egory XVI in June 1846, when he took name of Pius IX. Soon after his econ he granted amnesty to all polititransgressors, and acquired great pularity by various measures of re-His reforms were partly frus ated by the ill will of many of his aries, who opposed innovations. he popularity began to decline before of 1847. Excited and elated by he French Revolution the Italian liber demanded greater concessions than seral violent demonstrations of the sulace, Piu+ IX iled from Rome disguise in November 1848, and retired A republic was organized at ried by a French army, which took the y in July of that year and restored the Among the later events of his was the formal annunciation e doctrine of the Immaculate 54. During the war which Austria are l'against the French and Sardinians 850, the people of the Romagna and e Legations revolted against the Pope nd the Papal States were annexed to the or buil, against those who s, and about this time he also

no was declared the capital of the anied by the reservation that so long as the interests which sufficient guarantees." We ight mention here, in looking regularly e only Power that recognized the "Conthe war between the Emperor of Ausdr in 1866 were unfavorable to Papal m Rome, and Italy was relieved called immediately.

m the presence of foreign solery, for the first time probably kel by an Encyclical letter an ter a long deliberation, was finally es-blished in July, 1870. This Council

st his temporal power the new Pope hardly have much weight with the

ear the society closes up its affairs, rening to the members pro rata the to the Vatican. mount of money unexpended. There is accumulation of the funds, and under se settlement made each year the amount or men and women sometimes sacrifice lars of sickness by failure to keep up reeks immediately preceding that sickes on the Scotch plan the member who

body, in the matter of providing some-

Business Embarrassments. CLEVELAND, February 7 .-- W. C. Sapp. one of the leading dry goods men of Mount Vernon, O., made an assignment this morning. His assets are estimated this morning. His assess and at \$12,000. Liabilities unknown. PRILADELPHIA, February 7.-C. J.

Fell & Bro. dealers in spices, etc., at No 2) South Front street, have suspended. Their liabilities are believed to be heavy. The suspension is due to the general de Pression.

Tangled Reports About the Russian Occupation of Constantinople.

Cabinet.

Mr. Blaine on the Silver Question

Senator Johnson Defends the South

HIS DEATH HOURLY EPXECTED. Gazette's Rome dispatch announces that the Pope's death is hourly expected, and

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DIED AT 4:50 P. M. HOME, February 7, 6 P. M .- The Pope ied at 4:50 this evening. THE POPE'S LAST EFFORT. Rome, February 7.-The Pope's legere so much better yesterday that he lieved that this exertion was fatal. The

council in the next room, but all, together with the dignitaries of the Papal of his death. Cardinal Panebianco administered the last sacraments. All the Ambassadors enquirtes during the morning, King Humbers also constantly sent for infor-Vatican except the Pontifical Chamberlains, who are charged with guarding the

more per week. At the end of each they deem necessary. The police and municipal guards prevent any approach LONDON, February 8,-There can be no

> moments were lucid. He said: "Guard the Church I loved so well and sacredly.' The immediate cause of death was th

WHEELING, WEST VA., FRIDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 8, 1878. they should do for his practical benefit. Give the colored people of the South the money they want and it would make them better citizens. They would have some-thing to work for, and it would encour-

Washington, February 6. WASHINGTON, February 6.
Mr. Davis, of Illinois, called up the Senate bill to remit taxes on insolvent savings banks, the pending question being an amendment providing that no savings bank, having no capital stock, shall be on accounts with mercantile or business deposits on which no interest has been allowed, denied the exemptions allowed to savings banks having no capital stock, and it was agreed to. Yeas, 23; nays, 27. The bill was then read a third time and passed.

Consideration was then resumed of the unfinished business, the silver bill, and Mr. Blaine spoke thereon.

NR. BLAINE'S POINTS.

MR. BLAINE'S POINTS. Mr. Blaine's speech presented the folmortis. He appeared dead to all but his physicians who could detect feeble occiliation of the heart. In all the clurches sacrament has been exposed.

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Washington, February 7.—The examination by the Committee on Civil Reform in public service, to whom charges against the official charscater of Col. Polk door-keeper of the House, were referred, have not soft ar elicited any lacta seriously affecting him. The friends of the door-keeper of the House, were referred, have not soft ar elicited any lacta seriously affecting him. The friends of the door keeper of the House, one of the charges against too. Polk originated in arrangements of some of the members of Congres and the States against Col. Polk originated in arrangements of some of the members of Congres themselves in providing for their respect tive friends.

The friends of the House Committee on Education and Labor to day a showed that one of the charges against tool to day showed that one of the charges against col. Polk originated in arrangements of some of the members of Congres and the States and the House, coming under the pooling operation of the House Committee on Education and Labor to day agreed to report a bill to distribute the proceeds of the sales of the public lands among the several States and confidence in how to re-establish significant and colling and continue on the state and the office of the United States and the original and the confidence of the public lands among the several States for purposes of education. The free coins and the current rates of silver, the first of the public lands among the several States for purposes of education. The first member and the first of t owing points: Gold and silver coin are the money of

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THE 4 PER CENT LOAN.

Subsciptions to date to the four per cent loans are nearly three million dollars.

The following is a list of honorary Commissioners to the Paris Exhibition: Geo. W. Childe, Pennsylvania; A. L. Coolidge, Massachusetts; Frederick Smythe, New Hampshire; Frank Milward, Kentucky, James H. Smart, Indians; Alfred Hibard, Iowis; Win. A. Msore, North Carolina, Edwin Cowley, Ohic; Lenj.—E. Gallup, Illinois; E. Il. Knight, District of Collumbirs; Win. Seligman, California; S. T. Merrill, Wiscomen; J. M. Safford, Tennessee; J. A. Tonner, Arizona; Austin Savage, Idaho; Wm. Hayden, Utah.

CONFIRMED. dollar of 425 grains would equitably represent a dollar of that date. Such a dollar will then fit in turn the a dollar will then fit in turn the miner, the owner of bullion, the holder of coin, and the government, and will insure to our laborers a full dollar's pay for a dollar's worth of work. For these reasons he advocated unlimited coinage and legal tender for a dollar of that weight. He did not expect the adoption of his substitute, in view of the precluding of committals and the avowals of Senators. He was not in line with either extreme—those who favor a single gold standard, or those whose views, if sustained, would force us to a single silver standard. We needed both and could there was a scene With the word guilty. Miss Davenport shrieked, threw up her hands and fell back into the arms of her stalwart betrothed. The jury were moved to tears, and the Judge hid his face in his handkerchief. It was half an hour before the lady revived. The Court imposed a fine of \$100, then she fainted again, and the Court adjourned.

Miss Davenport and her lover returnep to Goochiand this evening, where report has it they will wed to-morrow.

Fatully Shot.

Cincinnati, February 7.—Ed. Norton one of a gang of suspected thieves and burglars whom the police were attemptoned.

A DEFENSE OF THE SOUTH.

A DEFENSE OF THE SOUTH. Mr. Johnston then spoke in favor of the silver bill. He said it could not have escaped the attention of any one that part of the public press, especially at the North, had indicated that the South stood ready at any time to repudi-ate the public debt of the United States. He (Johnston) wished to say for himself and on behalf of his Southern colleagues on this floor, that no people had the Na-tional honor more at heart than the peo-ple of the South. They had passed through the most terrible suffering and

hand there societies, having no accumulated capital, but obtaining the money expended for "benefits" from month to month an innertally strong as the corpac. The Italian government insults only be made strong by being associated with a church or similar institution many of wose members would encourage a beneficial society by joining it, without making any demand for benefits in case of sischness. Both plans have their advantages, and one or other of them should not occur until after the time announced of the proposed she should have and admitting free from duty articles and admitting free from duty a from duty a free from duty articles. A fatal blow to the manufactured, a fatal blow to th

drive gold out of the country, and spoke at length of the necessity of a bi-metallic

currency.

number of vessels of a coasting fleet, most ly from Paget Sound ports, are greatly very degrand the late storms cause anxiety for their safety. Several pieces of wreckage have been seen by vessels coming down the coast and other fragments drifted ashore on the northern coast.

Half Fare to the Carnival.

Memphis, February 7.—All the steamboat and railroad lines here and their connecting lines have agreed to sell tickets for the carnival, which occurs on the 5th of March, for half fare, good for eight days thereafter.

We formany, he said: All knew that the German Empire to-day, now the thanding the large indemnity received from France, was in the throes of financial distress. This did not speak well of the practical effect of the demonstization of silver. He then spoke of the value of silver to the colored people of the South, and said that they knew nothing about both of March, for half fare, good for eight days thereafter.

Commutation Refused.

Harriseura, February 7.—The application of Thomas P. Fisher, a Carbon of March, for half fare, good for eight days thereafter.

proceeding with his remarks yielded to Mr. Morgan, upon whose motion the Sen-ate went into executive session. When the doors were reopened, Senate HOUSE. CALIFORNIA CONTESTED ELECTION-WIG-

GINTON SEATED.

Immediately after reading of the journal the House resumed consideration of the contested election case of Wigginton vs. Pacheco, from the 4th district of California

ported by the minority of the Committe on Elections, declaring Pacheco, the sit sing member, elected to the seat. The

With high regard,
your obedient servent,
[Signed] J. MADISON WELLS.
ANDERSON FOUND GUILTY. At 9:20 r. m. Judge Whitaker finished he reading of his charge to the jury and hey retired. The court room was cleared and even the attorneys for the defence

[Signed] W. P. CONVERSE, Foreman of Jury.
The defense asked for a polling of the jury. Each jury, after his name being called, was asked, "Is this this your verdict—Guilty and recommended to the mercy of the Court?" They all answered in the affirmative. The jury was then discharged and the prisoner remanded to

Indicted for Manslaughter. MEMPHIS, February 7.—The gran ry have indicted Jailor Dawson for

OMAHA, February 7.—The jury in the or St. Lona was possible case, out that in Fremont for several days past, were discharged to day, having been out forty-eight hours and unable to agree. They stood eight for conviction and four for ac-

A Slight Raise.

Committed to Jail.

sian columns are actually advancing rapidly upon the Turkish Capital and Gallipolis. It has been known in diplomatic circles for some days that the Russians are still advancing, but it is regarded as almost impossible that they can yet be in possession of Constantinople. We are enabled to state that no official information of the report has yet reached the Foreign Office.

A GENTLE REMINDER TO THE CZAR. A GENTLE REMINDER TO THE CZAR. Sir Stafford Northcote, Chancellor of

the Exchequer, in reply to an inquiry of Lord Hartington, leader of the Liberals, confirmed the report of the advance of the Russians toward Constantinople. The advance, the Chancellor said, may be in accordance with the terms of the armis-

nendment. A dispatch from Constantinople dated 3 r. M., via Etarich, says: In accordance with the conditions of the armistice, the Turkish forces have evacuated the zones The Russian troops are now in the lines

STEAMER COLLISION AT BEA.

A dispatch from Gravesend says: The steamer Mertin, for Bordeux, came into collision at 6 o'clock last evening with the steamer Utopia, for New York. The Utopia was struck on the starboard side. Her forecompartment is full of water. Attempts are made to lighten her.

London, February 7.—A special from Constantinople dated February 1, by way of Syria, says its stated that the Grand Duke Nicholas and staff will come to Constantinople during the armistice. In the House of Lords, Lord Derby, Foreign Secretary, in reply to a question about this morning's rumors, said he received yesterday afternoon a telegram from Minister Layard, dated February 5. At that time, notwithstanding the armistice, the Russians were pushing towards Constantinople. The Turkish troops had

titee, the Russians were pushing toward Constantinople. The Turkish troops has been compelled to evacuate a port on the sea of Marmora notwithstanding the pro-test of the Turkish commander, which the Russian General refused to receive. He

ceived last night, states that the Russians have requested that the Chetmadji lines be abandoned, which will leave Constanti-nople undefended. The Russians had less than thirty miles from Constantino ple. It may be that the steps now being taken by Russia are in pursuance of the

the armistice.

A Vienna correspondent says that Russia will not accept the Treaty of Parlies as the basis of the negotiations.

"I have only to say that it an infamous fabrication."

Popular feeling is inter Russia. The windows of town house and of the I

Prosession of the fort on the line of the fortifications between Buyuk, Chekmejeh and Chatisi, and that another detachment had occupied points on the Boulair lines. New York, February 7.—The case of the State vs. the widow of Henry Stark Mot Officially Confirmed.

The Globe of this alternoon says: We understand that the announcement this morning that the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue, although the Russian army had entered Constantinople is up to the latest advices untrue although the Russian army had entered Constantinople in the Russian army had entered Consta